

RESOLUTION NO. 2007-235

A RESOLUTION OF THE LODI CITY COUNCIL
ACCEPTING THE PROPOSED MUNICIPAL SERVICES
REVIEW AND FORWARDING IT TO THE SAN JOAQUIN
LOCAL AGENCY FORMATION COMMISSION FOR
ADOPTION

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WHEREAS, the Lodi City Council has heretofore held a duly noticed public meeting to review the proposed Municipal Services Review (MSR); and

WHEREAS, the State of California 2000 Cortese-Knox-Hertzberg Act requires each Local Area Formation Commission (LAFCO) to prepare service reviews prior to establishing or updating spheres of influence (SOI); and

WHEREAS, the San Joaquin LAFCO has interpreted this ruling to be a requirement of each individual city within the County; and

WHEREAS, the cities are therefore charged by the San Joaquin LAFCO to complete their respective MSR in time for the San Joaquin LAFCO to adopt their countywide MSR prior to the end of the 2007 calendar year; and

WHEREAS, if a City fails to do so then it could affect that city's ability to amend its SOI and potentially affect the annexation of new land into its corporate boundaries until it does; and

WHEREAS, the proposed MSR is required by State statutes and San Joaquin LAFCO policies to demonstrate that the City's planning boundaries can adequately be served by various City services such as, fire protection and emergency medical services, law enforcement, water supply and treatment, wastewater collection and treatment, storm water drainage, electrical utility, and public services; and

WHEREAS, staff has determined that the proposed Municipal Services Review is an informational document that may be used for future actions of **LAFCO** or the City of Lodi and that the document meets State and **LAFCO** requirements; and

WHEREAS, the MSR is considered to be exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to Section 15262 of the CEQA Guidelines. A notice of exemption pursuant to CEQA will be filed by LAFCO.

WHEREAS, the MSR is consistent with the City's General Plan and Zoning Ordinance; and

WHEREAS, the Planning Commission reviewed and considered the MSR on October 24, 2007, and recommended that the City Council accept it and forward it to LAFCO.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Lodi City Council hereby accepts the MSR and directs that it be forwarded to San Joaquin LAFCO for adoption.

Dated: November 21, 2007

I hereby certify that Resolution 2007-235 was passed and adopted by the Lodi City Council in a regular meeting held on November 21, 2007, by the following vote:

AYES: COUNCIL MEMBERS – Hansen, Hitchcock, Katzakian, Mounce,
and Mayor Johnson

NOES: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None

ABSENT: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None

ABSTAIN: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None

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RANDI JOHL
City Clerk